1	<u>CLAIMS</u>		
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3	We claim:		
1	1. A slopeboard mounting device, which comprises:		
2	a rigid shaft having a first end and a second end;		
3	a means for attachment of said rigid shaft to a slopeboard frame, said means for		
4	attachment being located near the first end of said rigid shaft; and		
5	a means for indicating the desired location of a mounting lug, said means for		
6	indicating being located near the second end of said rigid shaft, and said rigid shaft being		
7	selected to have such a shape and size that said means for indicating is maintained at a		
8	desired position with respect to the first end of said rigid shaft which is the same position		
9	as is desired for a lug pivot point to have with respect to the slopeboard frame.		
1	2. The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 1, wherein:		
2	the means for attachment comprises two mounting holes through which bolts can		
3	be placed.		
1	3. The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 2, wherein:		
2	said rigid shaft has an aperture near the second end of said rigid shaft; and		
3	the means for indicating comprises:		
4	a pin having a non-threaded hole;		
5	a pin having a threaded hole; and		
6	a bolt that passes through said pin having a non-threaded and the aperture		
7	within the rigid shaft before screwing into the pin having a threaded hole.		
1	4. The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 3, wherein:		
2	the shape and dimensions of said rigid shaft are selected such that any		
3	obstructions are avoided by such rigid shaft.		
1	5. The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 4, wherein:		
2	said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.		
1	6. The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 3, wherein:		
2	said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety degree angle.		

1	7.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 2, wherein:	
2		the shape and dimensions of said rigid shaft are selected such that any	
3	obstructions are avoided by such rigid shaft.		
1	8.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 7, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
1	9.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 2, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
1	10.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 1, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft has an aperture near the second end of said rigid shaft; and	
3		the means for indicating comprises:	
4		a pin having a non-threaded hole;	
5		a pin having a threaded hole; and	
6		a bolt that passes through said pin having a non-threaded and the aperture	
7		within the rigid shaft before screwing into the pin having a threaded hole.	
1	11.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 10, wherein:	
2		the shape and dimensions of said rigid shaft are selected such that any	
3	obstructions are avoided by such rigid shaft.		
1	12.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 11, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
1	13.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 10, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
1	14.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 1, wherein:	
2		the shape and dimensions of said rigid shaft are selected such that any	
3	obstr	uctions are avoided by such rigid shaft.	
1	15.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 14, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
1	16.	The slopeboard mounting device as recited in claim 1, wherein:	
2		said rigid shaft comprises two arms joined at substantially a ninety-degree angle.	
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